

*In Loving  
Memory of*

*Alvin Daniel*

Sunrise: January 9, 1952

Sunset: February 1, 2013

**Service:**

11:00 A.M.

Saturday, February 16, 2013

McGlothen Temple C.O.G.I.C.

1443 Fred Jackson Way

Richmond, California 94801

**Elder John A. Jennings - Officiating**



# Obituary

Alvin Daniel was born January 9, 1952, in Martinez, California to his father the late Bro. Louis C. Daniel and his mother Sis. Nettie B. Daniel.

Alvin was the seventh child born of ten children. He attended school in the Richmond Unified School District; Verde Elementary, Granada Jr. High, and graduated from Richmond Union High School in 1970.

On May 19, 1971, Alvin enlisted in the United States Army. In 1972, Alvin was sent overseas and was stationed in Okinawa Japan. In 1974, Alvin received his honorary discharge and returned to Richmond, California.

When he returned home from service, he held numerous jobs. He worked as a Correctional Officer at San Quinton State Prison; Bank Teller at Wells Fargo Bank; and retail at J.C Penny's, Kinney and Galenkamps Shoe stores.

Alvin found his nitch when he went to Contra Costa College and received his A.A. Degree in Culinary Arts.

Putting his degree to use, Alvin landed a job as a Chef at the Gingerbread House Restaurant in Oakland, California. He worked there until they went out of business.

Alvin was born and raised in McGlothen Temple C.O.G.I.C. under Pastor George McGlothen and Elder Clarence James Davis.

Alvin was a teacher in the Young People Willing Workers (Y.P.W.W).

Alvin was a very quiet and private person, but if he was at a party, he and his brother Robert would take over the dance floor. He loved his family, music, taking care of his parents, plants, trees, and fish. His big smile will surely be missed.

On February 1, 2013, he went home to be with the Lord.

He was preceded in death by his father Bro. Louis C. Daniel, his sister Louise Daniel Evans, and his foster brother Dennis Ray Samuels.

Alvin leaves to cherish his memory, his mother Sis. Nettie B. Daniel, sister Margeret Shanks (David) of Tracy California, brothers, Louis C. Daniel Jr. (Bernice) of Fairfield, California, Earl Lee Daniel (Barbara) of Sacramento, California, Joe Daniel (Brenda) of Tracy, California, Robert Eugene Daniel (Markey) of Las Vegas, Nevada, Richard Daniel of Richmond, California, Gary Daniel of Richmond, California, Kenneth Ray Daniel (Artavia) of Fairfield, California and Morris Samuels of Richmond, California. One God Daughter Tianna Vidal of Pittsburg, California, and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

# Order of Service

Processional.....

Prayer..... Elder John A. Jennings

Scripture Reading.....

Old Testament..... Elder John A. Jennings

New Testament..... Minister George Brown

Musical Selection.....Choir

Expressions..... Pulpit

Musical Selection..... Daisy Williams

Acknowledgement of Cards..... Brenda Shepard

Obituary..... Brenda Shepard

Musical Selection.....Choir

Expressions..... Family & Friends (2 minutes)

Musical Selection.....David Harfield

Eulogy..... Minister Derek Jackson

Parting View..... Wilson & Kratzer





## *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me,  
For now I'm free;  
I took His hand  
When I heard Him call;  
I turned my back and left it all.  
If my parting has left a void;  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
My life's been full, I savored much;  
Good friends, good times,  
A loved one's touch.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;  
Ah yes, these thing, I too will miss.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief;  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your hearts  
And share with me;  
God wanted me now,  
He set me free.

## *Pallbearers*

Lavelle Edwards  
Morris Samuels

Clark Davis  
Robert Daniel Jr.

Leonard Evans  
Earl Daniel Jr.

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

Louis Daniel Jr.  
Earl Daniel Sr.  
Joe Daniel

Robert Daniel Sr.  
Richard Daniel Sr.

Gary Daniel  
Kenneth R. Daniel

## *Acknowledgement*

The family would like to thank each of you for your acts of kindness, whether it was in the form of a telephone call, a prayer, a card, flowers, or other expressions of thoughtfulness.

**May God Bless You!**



**~The Daniel Family~**